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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

June 15, 2007

Sir:

Referring to the Notification of Missing Requirements, dated April 9, 2007 (copy attached), the undersigned herewith submits a Declaration executed by joint inventor Gerhard Bruckberger, together with a Petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.47(a) for acceptance without the signature of coinventor Karl Stifter.

The government filing fees should be charged to Deposit Account No. 04-2223.

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- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 07/24/2006
- English Translation of the IA filed on 07/24/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/24/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 07/24/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 07/24/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/24/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 07/24/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity:

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• \$65 Surcharge.

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